HIRAM W. CHENEY DIES OF SYNCOPE

Fell Unconscious in Store, Death Followed in Few Minutes.

While at work in the hardware store of J. M. Hunt, Fourteenth street northhome late yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Cheney was sixty-nine years old, and for the last few weeks had been suffering from intermittent attacks of the grip. Several days ago, however, he returned to his work. This afternoon at about 5:30 o'clock he was suddenly

Church of Our Father, will conduct the services, and the burial will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

A native of Ware, N. H., Mr. Cheney Was born October 7, 1838. He was educated in his home town, and also in a Massachusetts school, and until within the last six years spent most of his life near his birthplace. He was a mem-ber of the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment during the civil war. About six years ago be removed to Washington and had lived here since. His widow, Mrs. Carrie F. Cheney, and one daugh-ter, Miss Harriet M. Cheney, survive him.

Grosscup in Jamestown As Federal "Watch Dog"

Goes in Interest of Government's Loan of \$1,000,000.

Frederick Paul Grosscup, of Charleston, W. Va., is just now the most watchful man at the Jamestown Exposition west, where he is employed, Hiram W. Cheney, of 2554 University place north-west, suddenly fell unconscious and died States Treasury Department in connec site. This for the reason that he is the special representative of the United a few minutes later of syncope at his tion with the \$1,000,000 lent to the Ter-Centennial Company. By the terms of the law authorizing the loan, the Exposition people are to pay back each month 45 per cent of the gross receipts until the \$1,000,000 loan is repaid. Commissioner Grosscup is the watchdog of the "boxoffice receipts."

seized with an attack of syncope and had to be taken home. He died at 6 o'clock. Coroner Nevitt investigated the cause of his death and gave a certificate for burial.

The funeral services will be held either tomorrow or Tuesday from the house. The Rev. John Van Schaick, of the Church of Our Father, will conduct the

Gen. George M. Sternberg, president of the Washington Sanatorium Company, was yesterday appointed by the Commissioners a member of the Medical and Surgical Consulting Board of the Washington Asylum Hospital.



FREDERICK P. GROSSCUP. Who Is in Jamestown in Connection With Government's Loan to Exposition.

V. Baldwin Johnson's Coal, 612 9th St. None better. White Ash Coal, 50 cents a ton off for spot cash, for city delivery.

ORNAMENTED CARDS

Order Promulgated to Protect Clerks From Injury.

The injuries sustained by many posal employes while handling mall, in which post cards, ornamented with glass nica, and so-called diamond dust, form part, have resulted in the promulga-

tion of an order prohibiting such cards from admission to the mails unless enclosed in envelopes.

The glassy particles used in the ornamentation of the pictures on the cards rub off easily and cut into the hands of the mall handlers like little knives and create sores that are hard to cure.

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ASPHALT PAVING PLANT SUGGESTED FOR DISTRICT

TRYING TO SELL FRISCO SITE FOR THE COAST SUBTREASURY

Pacific Coast Capitalist Now in Washington Says Golden Gate City Will Be Same As of Yore Within

a Few Years.

"Two hundred millions of dollars will the Phelans, and all our great block be expended in the rebuilding of San owners are contributing to the restora-

between Montgomery and Sansome streets for the subtreasury location. In discussing the building operation

that are being rushed ahead, Mr. Schmitt said: "Mills is rebuilding his great block, the Sharons, the Fair estate, the Floods,

SOME BAD NEWS AWAITING JAMES DAVIS, OF BALTIMORE

With a view of reducing the cost to the District of sheet asphalt paving, the Commissioners have suggested to Congress that an appropriation be made for the establishment of a municipal plant for the manufacture of this class of paving. They believe, however, that, as a rule, it is best to have all work done by contract.

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brother-ip-law. The letter stated the Art the North Capitol Methodist Episago, and Ohlo R. R. Every Saturday and that a chest of tools and a dress suit case were sent to him in this city. The police have been unable to locate him.

At the North Capitol Methodist Episago, and that a chest of tools and a meeting under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. will be held.

At 7.45 a meeting under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at the locate him.

11c Cambric at

OHIO STATE SENATOR

symnasium of the Young Mer's Chris-tion Association today at 3:39 p. m. The

At the North Capitol Methodist Epis-

mm Soms & Co.

JAP OUESTION

California Looks for Trouble, But Not Just Now.

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It is all going back into belidings, and San Francisco within the next two years.

It is all going back into belidings, and San Francisco is going to be itself again in a very few years."

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"But, if it doesn't want it," declared the Frisco man, "then up will go a big bank building, for property like that cannot remain idle."

Japan, our action in refusing to admit them into our public schools, and the power conterred on the President to exclude the Japs from our shores will not please the Mikado much, and, when two incidents will be used as a pretext o cut off trade relations.

TO ADDRESS Y. M. C. A. "Japan is reaching out for the East-ern trade, and her position makes the Cleveland, Ohio, will be the speaker at the meeting for men to be held in the lin the meantime, however, it is well to

Floral Designs for Funerals.

A Delightful Finale to Meals.

C. & S. Pure Cream Ice Cream Druggists,



Opening days besides being style days are to be Bargain Days extraordinary as these items give evidence

for Opening Days Only or Opening Days Only \$1.00 Buttons,

79c doz. choice of Metal But-ns, jeweled Buttons, reclain Buttons, Pearl uttons, Shell-effect uttons, and others in gowns with buttons— and YOU SHOULD DO SO.—First Floor.

For Opening Days Only \$1.00 Photograp!

Work, 48c We'll make six Phot Postals, 2 panels, 5 by 0 inches enlargement o ings if desired. ALL FOR 48c. Best work oo. Fifth Floor.

For Opening Days Only \$1.00 Veils for 79c

We have never sold my of these 3-yard-long Vells for less than \$1.00. During opening days only, while 25 dozen last, they are to go at 75c each—Velling Dept. All

For Opening Days Only 121/2c India Linon, 83/4c yd.

This is an extra fine, sheer grade, and is 32 inches wide. Nothing better in the market at 12½c a yard. We have but 100 pieces. While it lasts at 8½c a yard—Bargain Tables.

Hair Brushes at Half Solid - back Hai

Brushes-best gradesand truly bargains at opening days' prices.

49c kind 25c
\$1.49 kind 69c
98c kind 49c
\$1.98 kind 93c
\$2.98 kind \$1.49 First Floor.

Embroidery,

25c yd. 18-inch Camb

or Opening Days Only \$4 Waists, \$2.00

White Persian Law Valsts, with all-ove mbroidery fronts andsome designs lind or openwork ef fasten back ects;

We've collected a num-ber of things women, want for sewing to sell, it very much less than isual prices. The lot consists of these arti-

37c Worth of

Notions for 24c

De Macey Hooks and Eyes; black or white. Se spool John Clark's Spool Cotton; white or

Gem Needle-poin ins.
All worth 37c; for 24c.
FIRST FLOOR-Notion Section.

For Opening Days Only \$1.25 Dress Goods, 85c yd.

60c Almonds, 33c lb.

A never-before-bargai in sweets. Our regula 60c Chocolate-covered Almonds, best quality made, to be offered dur-ing opening days at 33

8½c ya.

For opening days only-

Danish cloth 12½c yd

made. A favorite with every one. Each piece offered bears the original mill stamp. This is the 1907 production, and has the improved finish. Offered in cream and black, and at a price below what it costs the mill. Even with the large quantity on hand we doubt whether we shall have more than enough for one day's selling. This fabric is worth 17c a yard. We reserve the right to limit quantity to each buyer.

First Floor-Wash Goods Department.

Opening display of spring silks With these extraordinary opening specials

TAFFETAS—500 yards of 36-inch Black Dress Taffetas, excellent quality and extremely desirable now; a yard, during

or Opening Days Only

\$1.00 Roller

Skates, 88c

Choice of Boxwood a

rice of these skates has

lyanced 30 to 35 per

nt, but we have held

he price down to a dol-

lar. While 1,000 pairs

last the price during

pening days,

ourth Floor.

For Opening Days Only

25c Stationery, 19c

It is the identical qual-

ity that sells everywhere

for 35c a box, and it is

a special feature of our

department at 25c. The

stationery is the popu-

lar Persian lawn, and a

cabinet contains 48

sheets of paper and 48

envelopes to match.

PONGEE—Rough Pongee Suitings, guaranteed all silk.

For Opening Days Only

\$1.00 Trimmings,

79c yd.

our dollar Trimmings at 79c a yard. You'll lind appliques, Persian Bands, Festooning, Straight Braids, and numerous other kinds of trimmings at this price. The newest colorings are billiard green, russet brown, and apricot red, and we've these in trimmings. First Floor.

All-silk pongee, 29c yard

Ideal for summer dresses. In natural or pongee color only. You have never had pongee slik at such a price. REMEMBER—ALL SILK. We doubt whether being able to supply the demand we shall have Monday to say nothing of the other opening days. We'll cheerfully give samples, but not guarance to have the sliks upon return. Buy while you have a chance. Only 1,500 yards.

FOULARDS-22-inch silks in navy, black, and marine grounds, with white dots, and a few with white grounds and color dots; all size

dots, and goods worth 75c yard, for opening days,

r Opening Days Only 50 Engraved Cards, 57c

We will furnish a new opper plate and 50 best uality cards, with ame engraved in popu-ur script style, for 51c. xclusive stationers ask Be for same work.
Bring your card plate,
ny style, and we will
urnish and engrave
rom it 50 best quality
ards for 15c.
First Floor—Stationery
Department

or Opening Days Only

\$1.50 Linoleum,

\$1.00 sq. yd.

Imported Scotch In-laid Lindeum, thick and heavy in tiling, mosaic, and wood plank pat-terns; also granited plain colors.



50c Coat Sets, 37c Choice of eight differ-nt shapes, each em-roidered in different

For opening days only-75c to \$3.50

Val. laces

10,000 pieces-69 patternsall matched sets

And, oh, what laces! The most delicate kinds. The most intricate designs—the most elaborate patterns. Think of it-any of the 69 patterns in matched sets. Never was there a sale with such choice offered. And here's something else to set bargain hearts a-jump-

Widths range from $\frac{1}{2}$ in. to 3 ins.

There isn't a single piece in the lot that you could buy for less than 75c regularly, and from that up to \$3.50 a dozen yards. As the average value of the entire lot is more than \$1.50 per dozen yards, it will be seen that vastly more are worth more than 75c. Especial attention is called to the character of the laces.

They are the very finest German and French Vals.

No store in the world can give you better between the prices of 75c and \$2.50 a dozen yards. And when choice is offered at 69c per piece (pieces contain 12 yards, and will not be broken) it is one of the grandest bargain opportunities. gain opportunities.

It's a great chance for dress-makers—for everybody. Sale first floor—where the crowd is.

Machine Needles,

\$2 Mandolins, \$1 Mandolins of wh

90c Cups and

Saucers, 49c Set of six Cups and aucers of fine Carlsbad

or Opening Days Only \$1.50 Dictionary, 69c

Webster's School and Office Dictionary, bound in flexible leather, con-tains over 70,000 words; also a dictionary of for-eign words and phrases and proverbs; a supplement of simplified spelling and considerable valuable information. Complete with patent finger in dex. Third Floor.

For Opening Days Only \$1.25 Bread Trays, 75c Silver-plated Bread Trays, quadruple-plated in the vintage or grape vine designs; gray fin-ish. Third Floor.

\$1.98 Belts, \$1.19

Elastic Belts, stee: studded, and this work is done by hand; choice of 3 patterns. These are very stylish. First Floor.

98c Belt Buckles, 89c Belt Buckles, assorted

styles in gold-plated, gray or oxidized silver. Very pretty and effective to wear with belting. First Floor.

For Opening Days Only 49c Spike Back Combs, 25c

New Spike-top Back Combs, that add so much to the becoming-ness of one's coiffure, at half price, 25c., in-stead of 49c.

For Opening Days Only 25c Placques,

hina Placques, 914 in. in 4 different styles, all with gold edge; suitable for mantel or dinng room decoration.

10c

-Third Floor.

For Opening Days Only 59c Skirting, 48c yd.

Flannel, with silk em-broiders, offered in both scalloped and hem-stitched effects. Sells regularly at 50c a yard. To be found in Flannel

For Opening Days Only 50c Pictures, 38c

Framed Pictures in ne-inch oak molding; size 15 by 20 inches, ! war scenes, beautifully colored; also 16 by 20 inches, imitation water colors, in summer and

for Opening Days Only 60c Silk Lining, 37c yd.

For Opening Days Only

\$2.50 Oxfords,

\$1.87

Women's Patent Colt-

kin, Blucher Oxfords.

plain toe, 4 large eye-

ets; ribbon laces; pret-

ty Cuban heel and

made on a neat and

pretty last; also a style with tip, dull quarter. Choice of these 2 styles, \$1.87.

400 yards guaranteed all-silk Taffeta Lining, black only; sold regu-larly at 60c a yard. Spe-cial for the opening days, 37c a yard.—At Lining Department.

For Opening Days Only 15c Handker-

CHINA SILKS-3,000 yards of all-silk

China Silks, for house dresses, kimonos,

sacques, waist, and dress lining; in

all colors, including pink, blues, nile, tan, champagne, lavender, white, ivery, black, and street shades. These goods worth, 50 2 9 c a yard. Opening days only, at 2 9 c

chiefs, 9c

Women's All-linen Cross-bar Handker-chiefs, hemstitched and n two new patterns. These are the most pop-ular handkerchiefs, and tre offered at 3 for 25c.

or Opening Days Only \$1.25 Serving Dishes, 69c

Nickel-plated Servin Dishes, with insid white enameled pa holding 3 pints and nic kei cover. Third Floer

or Opening Days Only

\$1.00 Kid Gloves.

79c Women's two-clasp white Glace French ambskin Gloves — note his. WHITE ONLY out they are more of a eargain than if in col-

or Opening Days Only 40c Mattings, 33c yd.

American Crex Mat-ing, full 25-in, wide, in ew choice patterns; plendid for use in halls r office rooms.

For Opening Days Only

25c Ribbed Corset Covers, 15c Women's Glove-fitting Ribbed Corset Covers, bleached; French eut; high neck, long sleeves; taped at neck. They're "s e c o n d s"-but don't look it. First Floor-S. Kann, Sons & Co.

r Opening Days Only \$1.00 Curtains, 75c pr.

or Opening Days Only

White Suiting,

83/4c yd.

The regular price is

121/2c, and it's big value

at that. We've but one

case to sell. It is a

splendid quality of 34-inch full bleached Irish linen finished Sutting. Nothing at the price to compare with it for in-

expensive summer frocks. At Linen Dept

White Swiss Musiin Curtains, ruifled edge and hemstitched; 3 yds. long; choice of 3 size long: choice of 3 size

or Opening Days Only

\$2.00 Kimonos,

\$1.69 Long Kimones of fancy crepe in Japanese, fan design; made with shirred yoke back and front and with light blue, pink, or lavender satin folds down the front of garments and around sleeves.

r Opening Days Only \$12½c Draperies, 10c yd.

Nottingham Whitesh Net Draperies, ful-in, wide and in 10 flerent patterns. These ake nice sash or fu gth curtains for you

or Opening Days Only

35c Ribbons,

20c yd. Six-inch Faillentines o Messaline Ribbons, in the new spring shades or black. Just the width that makes pretty trim-mings for the new straw hats, or use as sashes.

For Opening Days Only 98c Bed Spreads, 69c

These are the popular oneycomb Croches Spreads, hemmed and ready to use; full double bed size, and patterns in Marselles effects.— Bedding Section—First Floor.

For Opening Days Only, Shadow Silk, 83/4c yd.

We shall offer our Spun Glass Shadow Silk Linings, in all colors and fast black, at this extraordinary orice just for open-ing days.-Lining

For Opening Days Only \$22.00 Pedestalswith bust, \$14.98

Marble Pedestals, 39 in high, with 10-inch marble bust and choice of many subjects and styles. All of best grade and exquisitely designed. Third Floor.